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Attorney Docket No. 37,147
 First Inventor GLORIA ELENA LEON PAZ DE RODRIGUEZ
 Title A METHOD OF PROCESSING BLOOD SAMPLES IN ORDER TO PRODUCE DNA..
 Express Mail Label No. EK694040104US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

- ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
 See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Specification [Total Pages 19]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
- ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 6]
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(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
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- ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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- ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
- Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

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(when there is an assignee)
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 Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
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105 130 205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath

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139 130 139 130 Non-English specification

147 2,520 147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination

112 920* 112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to
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113 1,840* 113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after
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115 110 215 55 Extension for reply within first month

116 390 216 195 Extension for reply within second month

117 890 217 445 Extension for reply within third month

118 1,390 218 695 Extension for reply within fourth month

128 1,890 228 945 Extension for reply within fifth month

119 310 219 155 Notice of Appeal

120 310 220 155 Filing a brief in support of an appeal

121 270 221 135 Request for oral hearing

138 1,510 138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding

140 110 240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable

141 1,240 241 620 Petition to revive - unintentional

142 1,240 242 620 Utility issue fee (or reissue)

143 440 243 220 Design issue fee

144 600 244 300 Plant issue fee

122 130 122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner

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126 180 126 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt

581 40 581 40 Recording each patent assignment per
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146 710 246 355 Filing a submission after final rejection
(37 CFR § 1.129(a))

149 710 249 355 For each additional invention to be
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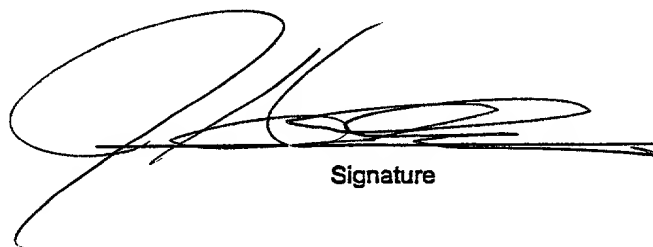
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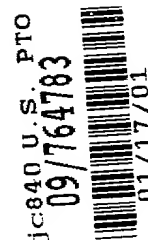
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Re: **Patent Application of Gloria Elena Leon Paz De Rodriguez and Gin Wu
 For "A Method Of Processing Blood Samples In Order To
 Produce DNA/Complex Patterns For Diagnostic Applications"
 Application No.:
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following documents:

1. Utility Patent Application Transmittal Form;
2. Utility Patent Application of Gloria Elena Leon Paz De Rodriguez and Gin Wu for A Method Of Processing Blood Samples In Order To Produce DNA/Complex Patterns For Diagnostic Applications, including Claims, Abstract and Drawings;
3. Request And Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i);
4. Declaration of Inventorship and Power of Attorney;
5. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status – Independent Inventor;
6. Statement Claiming Small Entity Status – Small Business Concern; and

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